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BIRMINGHAM OFFICER ANDREW CHANCEY IS SHOT MAKING ARREST

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 27.—A police officer and a deputy sheriff are in the hospital here today suffering from wounds sustained last night while making arrests. Six shots were fired at officer S. B. Crabtree as he attempted to arrest two negroes. One bullet took effect. Deputy Sheriff Hines was injured when he jumped on the running board of a car and battled with two runners. Neither officer is fatally injured.

MYSTERY DEATH IN CHAMBERS COUNTY

Lafayette, Ala., Dec. 27.—Charlie Tucker of the Allen's community, in the northwestern part of Chambers county, died Tuesday night at the Wheeler infirmary, after more than two weeks treatment for gunshot wounds. Considerable mystery surrounds the shooting as Tucker refused to tell who did the shooting.

Tucker was shot at night, near his home, and none of the family consent to discuss the matter. The body was carried from Lafayette Wednesday morning to the home community where it was buried Tuesday afternoon.

FARMER BEATEN AND WIFE FOUND BURNED

Dainierfield, Texas, Dec. 31.—Green Carroll, farmer, who was attacked and badly beaten Sunday night at his home near Dainierfield, was not expected to live tonight, physicians saying his condition was critical. His wife, whose body was burned in a fire that destroyed their house, is supposed by officers to have been beaten to death or rendered unconscious before the fire. County officials believe that both Mr. and Mrs. Carroll were beaten by robbers who then set fire to the house to cover the crime. Carroll has been unable to give any account of what occurred in his home. As far as can be ascertained, he regained consciousness in time to crawl from the burning house. Carroll is supposed to have had several hundred dollars at the farm. Sheriff J. R. Ponder in a search of the place today, found \$85 in gold.

Mrs. H. C. Johnson and children spent a few days last week with relatives at Ozark. Mr. Johnson went over Saturday, returning with them Sunday.

REPUTED BAD NEGRO KILLED AT INDUSTRY CROSSING CRASH

Industry, Ala., Dec. 26.—Dempsey Powell, reputed bad negro man, was shot and killed by Nolen Joyner, on Christmas night at this place, eighteen miles south of Greenville in Butler county. The body of Powell was found on the roadside this morning by a deputy sheriff with a knife and bottle of whiskey by his side. Considerable ill-feeling between the races was endangered by the killing, many of the mill negroes living hereabouts being inflamed by drink. Later in the night a number of whites are reported to have fired more than one hundred shots into a house occupied by negroes, seriously wounding one and injuring another slightly.

Sheriff Gus Murphy from Greenville, made an investigation but no arrests were made. The statements of witnesses being that Joyner killed Powell in self defense. The trouble has quieted down tonight.

FIVE CHILDREN POISONED BY USING CAP PISTOLS

New Orleans, La., Dec. 31.—Five negro children in one group died in Charity hospital late today of tetanus caused from wounds by cap pistols and other explosives. Christmas day, hospital authorities announced.

The negroes who died were from various parts of the city and ranged from 3 to 12 years old. They received burns from toy pistols a week ago, but in most of the cases did not have medical attention because the wounds were not considered serious. Hospital physicians to day joined police Superintendent Moloney in a general warning against permitting children to play with toy pistols and added a caution to have all those who use them arrested on poison charges.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of January, 1924, the undersigned, as administrators of the estate of J. M. Stricklin, deceased, under and by virtue of an order of sale, granted by the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama, on the 21st day of December, 1923, will offer for sale, at public outcry to the highest cash bidder, on the J. M. Stricklin plantation, in Coffee County, Alabama, the following described personal property to-wit:

Six head of bay mules. One peanut-picker, engine and press. Two wagons and harness. One cane-mill, and a lot of farming tools and implements.

Witness our hands, this 27th day of December, 1923. A. L. Stricklin, V. Stricklin, Administrators

MISS RAINIER HONORS BROTHER AND SISTER

On Tuesday afternoon a tea dance was given by Miss Gussie Rainier, in honor of her sister, Miss Kate Rainier and her brother Mr. Gordon Rainier, who spent the holidays here. The apartments were beautifully decorated with southern smilax, cut flowers and red and white paper.

Dancing was enjoyed from four to six after which, delicious refreshments were served. Those who were recipients of Miss Rainier's hospitality were Elba's College set. Mrs. Mildred Gillis McCollough, of Troy was an out of town guest.

DIES PRAYING IN CHURCH

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 30.—Mrs. Sarah Emma Haas, 48, wife of William O. Haas, prominent business man expired in the Crichton Methodist church here today while at prayer. The pastor had just started in prayer when the woman fell over in her pew and died in a few minutes.

ATTENTION—When in Elba visit the Elba Barber Shop "on the corner," for all your barber needs. Service our motto! W. L. Moody, Owner.

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This Hifalutin' Vocalism

Vocal solists should devote more attention to articulation. Most of them in action make a noise like they were gargling something for sore throat. Dothan Eagle

Gold recovered from a trunkful of black mud purchased at a sale of unclaimed express by a buyer in Omaha, Neb., who was ridiculed for his purchase until a chemist's analysis proved its value.

A Mark of Distinction

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THE ELBA CLIPPER

ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 1924.

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Clipper's Studebaker Campaign Gets Under Way; Many Enter

STILL PLENTY OF TIME FOR ENERGETIC MEN AND WOMEN TO ENTER AND WIN

The Clipper's \$2000.00 salesmanship club campaign announced in last weeks issue is rapidly getting under way with nearly a score of the most energetic men and women of this entire section having been nominated to win the valuable Studebaker and the many other prizes to be awarded.

As the campaign is just getting started hardly any of the candidates have actually gotten started to work in real earnest yet, but it is certain that the latter part of this week will find all who want the prizes out actively engaged in boosting this popular weekly.

There is still plenty of time to enter and as yet some of the very best territory in the entire section is unrepresented so anyone with sales ability and ambition who has even a small amount of spare time can turn the next few weeks into real money by entering the drive and winning one of the many valuable awards to be given on the 9th of February.

When it is taken into consideration how every few of the small towns and sections are represented and how short the campaign is there is no reason why anyone should hesitate about entering the campaign and sharing in the many valuable awards. There can be no losers as even those who fail to win a prize will be rewarded by a liberal cash commission.

Just One Month in All The campaign will last in all but one month, as it will close just one month from today, on the 9th of February, and you can earn just \$1145.00 in this time if you heed the voice of opportunity calling you. It cost nothing to enter and the campaign is open alike to men and women of this entire section. Regardless of where you live the opportunity is here, and the ones who enter right now at the start have the better chance to drive away in their own car in just a few weeks.

Were the campaign to last through several months, then there would be no necessity for one to hurry their nomination coupon into the office, but where there is only one month, then every day counts and the postponement of entering, even for a few days might prove costly in the final windup.

It is evident that one can lose no time if you are to be considered a winning candidate so lose no time but clip the coupon from this paper and send it in to the campaign Manager now, so that you can get started at once in the race.

Very Important Week. Prospective candidates should not confuse this campaign with some of the other drives which have been staged through this section as this drive is entirely different in every respect from any like campaign ever before staged in this section. In the first place the votes polled at the beginning of the drive count many more votes than they ever will again. This week is one of the most important weeks of the entire campaign as every subscription taken and turned in Saturday will average just five times as many votes as will be allowed at the finish of the campaign. This means that those who get started now have little to fear from those who are expecting to make a cleanup at the finish of the drive.

The main reason why a subscription now is worth five later on is to prevent any speculation or action taking place among the contenders. In a campaign staged now so very early.

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to our many friends who were so kind and thoughtful of us during our recent sad bereavement. We shall ever remember these kindnesses, and pray God blessing on each and every one.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Whitman and children.

Will Brunson, at Elba, is the loan man. If you want to borrow money on your lands see him. He specializes in the loan business and has an absolute plan, which enables him to give prompt service—adv.

LOST—Latch key to Yale lock; key was tied to large safety pin. Return to Clipper office and receive reward.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Blue, of Dothan, Ala., are planning several days with relatives at Elba.

RIVER BRIDGE TO BE TORN AWAY FRIDAY

Mr. Will Wise, contractor of Dothan, is at Elba and has already begun work preparatory to tearing away the East abutment of Pea River bridge and completing the work of rebuilding that section of the bridge which was started several weeks ago.

Mr. Wise told a Clipper representative yesterday afternoon that the bridge will be torn down Friday morning, January 11th, and that all traffic will be cut off until the work is completed, which he estimates will consume about four days.

It is his plan now to have the bridge open again for traffic on Tuesday of next week, if everything works nicely. Work announced early in December that this work would be done, but on account of some material which was condemned the work was held up. Intention to work continuously on the bridge until it is finished.

Persons who travel this section should take notice of the bridge being torn away and plan their trips some other way.

MESSANGER SERVICE AT WESTERN UNION.

Beginning with the new year the Western Union Telegraph Company, instituted a bicycle messenger service at the Elba office. This will be quite a convenience for the people in the business part of town, as all messages will now be delivered as soon as received.

It is also announced that messages will be sent for to different parts of town, thus relieving those who wish to use the wires to do so without the trouble heretofore experienced of having to carry their messages to the depot. Elba people will no doubt appreciate the new service being given by the Western Union and their efficient operators.

FOLSOM—EUBANKS

The following announcement which has just been received by relatives and friends at Elba will be of much interest to the members of the groom, who was reared near New Brockton, and who is quite well known at Elba:

"Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Eubanks announce the marriage of their daughter, Lucile, to Mr. Grover Cleveland Folsom, on Tuesday, January the first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty four, Plant City, Fla."

MUSIC CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. KENDRICK

The Music Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. J. W. Kendrick Thursday afternoon. The following program was well rendered:

Victrola records, Negro spiritual songs by students of the Tuskegee Institute. Musical reading—Mrs. J. O. English with Mrs. W. C. Brassell. Vocal—Old Folks At Home—Club. Open discussion—The musical genius of the Negro-Club.

We wish to express our heart felt thanks to our friends and relatives for their expressions of sympathy in the beautiful floral offerings and assistance rendered in our recent bereavement. May God's richest blessings rest upon you.

M. D. Duncan, Mrs. P. A. Symonds, Mrs. M. J. Lee.

Mr. Carlton Larkins, of Charleston, S. C., arrived Sunday for a visit to his mother, Mrs. H. Larkins.

COFFEE'S NEW FARM DEMONSTRATION AGENT ARRIVES; ALREADY ON THE JOB

Mr. R. G. Arnold, Coffee County's new Farm Demonstration Agent, was a visitor at Elba Tuesday and made The Clipper a pleasant visit. Mr. Arnold has already entered upon his new duties here and for the present will make his home in Enterprise. It was his intention to live at Elba but was not able to find a house at the time and was fortunate enough to find one in Enterprise.

Mr. Arnold comes to Coffee from Sumter County where he has been engaged in demonstration work for the past three years. He is splendidly equipped for the work and The Clipper predicts many good things for the farmers of the county who co-operate with him in their work for this year.

The Clipper will carry regular announcements and other items of interest from the office of Mr. Arnold. Before leaving he left the following preliminary announcement:

MRS. JIM WHITMAN HOSTESS TO TEA CLUB

A lovely party was given at the home of Mrs. Jim Whitman Friday afternoon when she entertained the Tea Club. Beautiful narcissi, Marshal cut glasses and baskets of cut flowers and ferns arranged in much to the attractiveness of the living room. The guests spent a most pleasant afternoon sewing.

The club was very much pleased to have Mrs. W. C. Braswell as a new member. The hostess assisted by Miss Persia Whitman and Tura Simmons served delicious refreshments. Mrs. W. H. T. m. a. proved to be an ideal hostess and all the guests left expressing thanks to her for a pleasant afternoon.

MR. MORGAN MOVES TO ELBA

Mr. Sam R. Morgan, Coffee's popular and efficient County Treasurer, with his family last week moved to Elba from their home at Enterprise and are now domiciled in the Talbot house on Smith Avenue.

Elba people give Mr. Morgan and his family a hearty welcome to the city.

MRS. COOPER HOSTESS TO T. E. L. CLASS

The T. E. L. Class of the Baptist S. S., was entertained at the home of Mrs. W. F. Cooper Thursday afternoon. Among other business matters attended to the following were elected:

Mrs. Willie Mitchell-President. Mrs. C. E. Dorsey—1st Vice President.

Mrs. C. P. Hayes—2nd Vice President. Mrs. J. H. Amos—Treas.

After the business hour delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. Elmer Ellis, of Lake Wales, Fla., was the guest of Mrs. Ebb Willis this week.

IS YOUR COMMUNITY REPRESENTED HERE? IF NOT SEND IN YOUR NAME AT ONCE

Name	Address	Votes
Mrs. Frank Blair, Elba		100,000
Miss Jessie Brunson, Samsom		100,000
Miss Annie Laurie Bullard, Elba		100,000
Mr. Oscar Clark, Jack		100,000
Mr. Prude Crook, Goodman, E'prise, Rt. 4		100,000
Mr. J. C. Fuller, Jack		100,000
Mr. L. F. Flowers, Jack, Route 1		100,000
Mr. J. F. Jordan, Tennille, Rt. 1		100,000
Mr. L. J. Jones, Elba		100,000
Mrs. Charlie Pete Lee, Elba		100,000
Mr. Carlton McInnis, Enterprise		100,000
Miss Sydney Rainer, Elba		100,000
Mrs. Richard Sawyer, New Brockton		100,000
Miss Myrtle Stewart, Damascus, Elba, Rt. 3		100,000
Mrs. Thomas, Victoria		100,000
Mrs. P. B. Walker, Elba		100,000

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EDITORIAL

Under the supervision of O. Edgar Atkinson, of Montgomery, The Clipper is inaugurating a mammoth subscription campaign in which over \$200,000 in prizes and cash commissions are to be awarded to the men and women of this section.

The publisher is putting on this campaign for two reasons: first, to secure a larger number of readers than the Clipper now possesses, and second to get the paper on the basis of advance basis in accordance with the wishes of the Postal Department.

Those who are in arrears to the Clipper are respectfully urged to pay up their back subscriptions to the candidates who call upon them. Each candidate has been supplied with the expiration date of each subscriber just how much he owes the office.

The Publisher admits he has been a trifle negligent in not having been more diligent in collecting the subscription accounts and yet, knowing most every subscriber personally, he felt sure that when presented with a bill for back subscriptions, collections would be immediately forthcoming.

Some few of the workers have stated that some whose time is back for more than a year or more seem to think that the paper was coming without pay. Of course this is absurd, as a Publisher must have pay for his work the same as any one else, and every person who has been receiving the Clipper and has not paid owes the account the same as they owe their grocery bill or any other honest debt.

The Clipper in inaugurating the campaign does so not with the expectation of making any money—a glance at the price list will prove this—so each and every subscriber who is in arrears will confer a direct favor by paying up the candidates when they call. These are the reasons for the list at present are urged to give a new subscription and in return the Clipper promises to give both old and new subscribers the same money Clipper that has appeared for more than twenty years.

"I am so glad I went into the Daily Star's subscription campaign," said Miss Pearl Koehn to a representative of the Star yesterday. "Because it gave me an opportunity to find out how many friends I have in Covington county and elsewhere. Continuing she said, 'I appreciate the car and am glad that it is mine, but I have had been no car, the fact that I found so many friends ready, and willing to help me in my efforts to win would have been ample reward for every effort which I made during the campaign.' It is a fine thing to have friends and the surest way in the world to keep them is to let them know that you appreciate them.—Andrus Star.

FARMERS HAVE YOU LEARNED YOUR LESSON

Samson Ledger: For more than nine years the Ledger has been advocating diversification of crops and opposing the all-cotton plan. Twice during that time it seemed the farmers had severe enough lessons to teach them the folly of planting excessive acreage to cotton. Once it seemed as though they had heeded the warning, and would

not again be caught in the grip of poor cotton and no feed stuff.

Last spring, when it was apparent that nearly every farmer was going to plant every inch in cotton that he could tend, the Ledger sounded a warning to at least plant enough food stuff to carry on through the 1924 season.

Even after the cotton had been planted, and the unfavorable weather had sounded the death-knell of a decent cotton crop, the Ledger suggested plowing up the poor stands and sowing something else that would make feed or money crop.

Blinded by the glittering lure of a big crop from a big acreage, most of the farmers paid no attention to the Ledger nor to anyone else. The result is that lots of them made nothing from the cotton and haven't enough feed to see them thru. Many have been forced to sell when they can induce someone to trust them for it.

Farmers who are you going to do this year? Have you learned the lesson, or must it be rubbed into you again that the man who puts his faith to one crop is a poor planner?

ATTENTION—When in Elba visit the Elba Barber Shop "on the corner," for all your barber needs. Service our motto!

W. L. Moody, Owner.

NOTICE

All Tax Payers are urged to come in at once and return for assessment all property and save the 10 percent penalty, which accrues after the first Monday in February. Taxes become delinquent Jan. 1st, and is subject to a fine of 50 cents, but after Feb. 5th there is a penalty of 10 percent which the tax assessor has no discretion in the matter.

Please come in at once and save expenses.
Very Respectfully Yours,
D. C. MARLEY,
Tax Assessor, Coffee County.

Report of Condition of

ELBA BANK & TRUST COMPANY
located at Elba, Ala., at the close of business December 31st, 1923.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts \$280,270.85
Overdrafts 1,228.27
Other Bonds, Stocks and

Warrants 11,629.97
Banking House 5,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures 3,500.00
Other Real Estate 11,999.50

CASH:
Currency \$8,750.00
Gold 3,397.50
Silver, Nickels and Pennies 1,357.52

Total 13,541.02
Due from Banks 32,766.28
Checks and Cash Items 1,013.02
Cash Items in Transit 1,896.11

TOTAL \$52,845.02

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In \$75,000.00
Surplus Fund 50,000.00
Undivided Profit Less Expenses and Taxes Paid 4,026.24

Reserve for Taxes and Interest 1,875.54
DEMAND DEPOSITS:
Individual Deposits \$142,390.89
Demand Certificates 6,863.81
Cashier's Checks 1,914.73
Unpaid Dividends 6,000.00

Total 150,992.43
TIME DEPOSITS:
Time Certificates \$59,333.56

Total 59,333.56
Notes and Bills Payable 20,000.00
Other Liabilities, Unearned Interest 1,614.24

TOTAL \$362,845.02

State of Alabama, Coffee County.

Before me came Y. W. Rainer, President of Elba Bank & Trust Co., who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said bank as shown by the Book on file in said bank.

Y. W. Rainer, President.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 5th day of January, 1924.

J. L. Nixon, Notary Public.

ATTEST—R. L. Cooper, D. J. Brooks, C. P. Hayes, Directors.

ALABAMA INTEREST IN WEDDING AT TENNILE, GEORGIA

Enterprise, Jan. 5.—Special interest of friends in Georgia, South Carolina and Alabama, centered around the marriage of Miss Varina Little, of Tennile, Ga., to Mr. Bowen Woodard Simmons of Enterprise, Ala., which occurred in the First Baptist church of Tennile, Ga., at 10:30 a. m. December 27.

The ring ceremony was solemnized by Rev. C. R. Hutchings, in the presence of a large assembly of relatives and friends. The church was elaborately decorated in green and white. Great snowy chrysanthemums, festooned with white satin ribbons, and softly glowing with the light of white burning tapers, gleamed forth from a bank of palms and ferns of which the bridal party was suspended from an arch of green.

The ushers were James Little, brother of the bride, Hubert Stewart of Atlanta, S. D. Roney and Edward McDavid. A musical program was rendered with Mrs. Bessie Marshall, at the pipe organ. "All Dawning" was beautifully sung by Miss Elizabeth Gentry, of Sandville, "Until" was never sweeter than as sung by Mrs. Hutchings, "All For You" was most ably rendered by Mrs. Zell Shaw, and Miss Grace Little softly played "O Promise Me," on the violin, after which the bride party entered to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march.

The bride entered with her maid of honor, Miss Helen Little, and they were met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Senator Albert Carmichael, of Geneva, Ala.

The bride wore a dress of black crepe black satin embroidered in green and silver and a corsage bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley. Her close fitting hat was a Parisian model combining the same colors.

The maid of honor wore beige crepe and a hat to match and a corsage of pink roses and lilies of the valley.

The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little and is well known for her charming personality and unusual musical ability in vocal and musical world. Mr. Simmons is a rising young lawyer the son of Col. and Mrs. C. W. Simmons of Enterprise, Ala. They left immediately for their future home in Enterprise.

THE RICH RESOURCES OF ALABAMA

The hills of Alabama are filled with mineral wealth which needs only the wand of capital and energy to convert into wealth and add population and prestige to this already rich and favored state. Alabama scarcely realize the extent of their own hidden riches in minerals. Much has been taken from the Alabama hills in coal and iron deposits, but the stored mineral wealth of the state probably has not yet been touched except in a superficial way.—Anniston Star.

THE HOME NEWSPAPER

If there is anything in your town worth talking about, no chances to one your own news papers had a hand in putting it there. If anybody beyond the walls of your burg ever learns that there is such a place as Elba it will be thru the Home Super.

Every town gets its money's worth thru the home newspapers. It's the wagon that carries all your goods to market. It ought to be kept in good repair. It will take to roads if it is not kept in good repair and keep its running gears in good shape and shelter.

They are the guarding and defenders of every interest, the forerunners and pioneers of every movement and the sturdy advocates of law and order.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that FRANK GARRISON convicted in the Circuit Court of Coffee County in 1913 of murder in the first degree and sentenced to serve for life, will make application for a parole.

Y. W. Rainer, President.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 5th day of January, 1924.

J. L. Nixon, Notary Public.

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HIBERNATION MAY SAVE BOLL WEEVIL THINKS F. W. GIST

"It is quite difficult to say, with assurance what present weather will do to the boll weevil," said F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician, when asked for an opinion as to the effect of the present cold weather on weevil activity the coming season.

A temperature of 8 degrees, which was experienced Sunday morning at Montgomery, and probably lower farther north in the state, is quite cold enough to kill adult weevils if it is exposed. The habits of the weevil, however, take care of just such experiences, and long before this cold weather came the bulk of the weevils had gone into hibernation. This natural phenomenon of the weevil includes the selection of a protected place of abode for the remainder of the winter, usually in the choicest place available. Such places of protection enable the weevil to withstand very extreme cold, which would, without protection, put him out of business for all time.

"It may be taken for granted that large numbers of weevils were actually killed during this cold spell, especially such as had hurriedly hibernated in old cotton bolls or in thin tufts of grass. But it may be equally as surely taken as certain that many others were so well protected as that there will be enough next spring to start a damaging supply.

"In February, 1917, there was a freeze very nearly as severe as this one, though the temperature was not quite so low as this morning. Alabama's cotton yield that year was the largest since weevil infestation began. Following that cold spell in February, however, the growing season was quite favorable. Sometimes a very few weevils to start the season being very damaging with the right kind of growing weather; on the contrary, a heavy infestation at the beginning of a season, be followed by a fair yield of cotton.

"Taken altogether, this freeze should be of advantage to the soil and should be followed by a lighter early infestation of insects of all kinds. Elimination of insects, however, is not to be looked for; and cotton growers may expect to find themselves still confronted with the necessity of fighting the enemy as usual, though probably with a little better odds on the grower's side.

DR. C. S. ALLRED
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FOR THE CHILDREN A SAVINGS ACCOUNT WHICH THEY MAY ADD TO REGULARLY. FOR MOTHER, A CHECKING ACCOUNT SO SHE WILL NOT HAVE TO TROTHER WITH MONEY ROUND THE HOME. AND A GOOD ACCOUNT FOR YOUR OWN PERSONAL BUSINESS.

TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS WE EXTEND THE SEASON'S GREETINGS. MAY THE NEW YEAR BRING PEACE AND PLENTY.

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PLAY AT DYESS SCHOOL HOUSE

If you want two and one-half hours of real up-to-date entertainment come and hear "Dot, the Miner's Daughter," played Saturday night, Jan. 19, 1924, at Dyess. This play will be given by a cast of fifteen characters, two being rollicking negroes. You simply can't afford to miss seeing Elbony "salt and batter grannie." Dot is a play with a good moral and plenty of fun. Sure to please all who hear it, music between scenes. It is played on this date come the following Saturday night. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court in Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS vs. C. R. ROSS

By virtue of a decree rendered at the September Term, 1923, of the Circuit Court in Equity at Elba, Alabama, Coffee County, in said cause, I shall proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Court House door in Coffee County in the town of Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on MONDAY, the 21st day of JANUARY, 1924, the following described property, to-wit:

NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 31, Township 32 N., Range 21, Coffee County, Alabama.

Said lands will be sold to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December, 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

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NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 31, Township 32 N., Range 21, Coffee County, Alabama.

Said lands will be sold to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December, 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

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CHILD IS DROWNED TWO OTHERS HURT IN SWOLLEN CREEK

Gadsden, Ala., Jan. 5.—Mary Ratcliff, eight, was drowned, her 6-year-old sister was seriously hurt and W. F. Decker is believed to have been fatally injured as the result of a peculiar accident on Whipperrill Creek, near Union Point, late Thursday afternoon according to news reaching here Saturday.

Boss Ratcliff, with his little one-horse wagon, was moving his family from Union Point, which is about five miles west of Altoona, to a point two or three miles distant, across Whipperrill Creek. Two neighbors, with two-horse wagons, were assisting him.

When the party came to the swollen stream one of the neighbors decided to unhitch his team from the wagon, and the men pushed it across the narrow water bridge, which was then under water, and reached the other bank in safety. Mr. Decker, having more confidence in his team of mules, decided to drive them across the bridge. When they reached the middle of the stream, however, they became frightened, and he began to unhitch them.

Meanwhile, Mr. Ratcliff had started to cross the bridge in his one-horse wagon. Its occupants consisted of members of his family. As the wagon became frightened and ran away, it attempted to pass the Decker wagon on the narrow bridge, and both outfits went into the high water.

Both Mary Ratcliff and her younger sister were badly hurt in the crash and thrown into the water. Their father jumped into the stream and saved the younger girl, but Mary was drowned. Her body was recovered Friday morning, about a quarter of a mile from the bridge.

Mr. Decker was caught between the two wagons, and mashed so badly that he may not survive. His mules were drowned. Ratcliff's horse reached the bank, but was terribly hurt.

BIG HATCHERY IS NOW IN OPERATION

A visit to the Wiregrass Hatchery is well worth the time and expense. It is located near the home of J. C. Watson on the Hartford and Bellwood road within a few miles of the center of Geneva County. This is approximately in the center of the wiregrass region. A substantial frame building has been erected with concrete floor and ventilators in roof in accordance with the plans and specifications of the manufacturer of the mammoth incubator.

The incubator is eight and one-half feet square and seven and one-half feet high, built of California redwood and has a capacity of ten thousand, three hundred and sixty eggs—almost an egg for every man, woman and child in a city the size of Dothan. Every customer's eggs are kept in separate trays, so there is no chance of mixing the chicks. The eggs and chicks are supplied with pure fresh air by three electric fans which run continuously day and night. The trays are hung so that every egg can be turned without touching them with the hands. All this together makes this machine turn out some wonderful hatches, ninety chicks from one hundred eggs being frequently reported.

There are seventeen of these plants in Southwest Georgia and this is the only one in South East Alabama, so we predict a bright and satisfactory future for this newest venture in the Wiregrass.—Hartford News-Herald.

A military map, used by the British at the battle of Bunker Hill, recently sold at an auction room in London for \$950. The map, eight inches square, bears the signature of Major General Sir Henry Clinton.

STEAGALL RETURNS TO WASHINGTON

Ozark Star says:

After spending the holidays in the city with his children, friends and relatives, Congressman Henry B. Steagall left Tuesday for Washington, to resume his duties in Congress. Our people were delighted to have Mr. Steagall at home and to see him looking so unusually well. He expressed himself as being in fine shape and enjoyed every minute of his visit here. There were some rumors going the rounds that some opposition might develop to him, but up to this writing nothing has developed nor will there be any opposition. Mr. Steagall is a very popular man with the people of his district and the Star does not believe that there is a man in the district who can defeat him. He expects to return home before the May primary if it is possible for him to do so.

MARRIED IN SAMSON.

James Monroe Grech and Miss Ida B. Phillips, both of Coffee County, were united in marriage Sunday night by Justice George Armistead at his home in Samson.—Samson Ledger.

About 600 years ago men were beheaded in England for burning coal.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court in Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS vs. M. L. GRIMES

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SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Section 21, Township 4, Range 21, Coffee County, Alabama.

Said lands will be sold to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December, 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court in Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS vs. MALISSE LEE

By virtue of a decree rendered at the June Term, 1923, of the Circuit Court in Equity at Elba, Alabama, Coffee County, in said cause, I shall proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Court House door in Coffee County in the town of Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on MONDAY, the 21st day of JANUARY, 1924, the following described property, to-wit:

NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 1, Township 4, Range 22, in Coffee County, Alabama.

Said lands will be sold to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December, 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court in Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS vs. A. L. MCGOWAN

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SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 22, Township 3, Range 22, in Coffee County, Alabama.

Said lands will be sold to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

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S. H. BROCK, Register.

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SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 22, Township 3, Range 22, in Coffee County, Alabama.

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This, the 31st day of December, 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court in Equity, at Elba

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ELBA, ALABAMA

ADAMS IS HELD FOR KILLING AT SAMSON

Geneva, Ala., Jan. 5.—The preliminary trial of Curtis Adams was held Saturday before Justice of the Peace Paul of Geneva, and Armstrong, of Samson. Adams was charged with murder for the killing of Robert Lunsford, near Samson, on Saturday last.

There were two eyewitnesses of the shooting, who were that they saw the men most in the road near their house and heard Lunsford accuse Adams of turning some cattle out of Lunsford's field and shutting them up. This Adams denied and called Lunsford a liar, to which Lunsford replied, "You are another," whereupon Adams drew his pistol. Lunsford told Adams he was unarmed. It was testified, but Adams insisted, that Lunsford shot him first, shooting Lunsford in the chest and killing him instantly.

Several witnesses testified of

had feeling existing. One witness testified that on the previous Saturday Adams stopped him on the streets of Samson and asked him if he had heard Lunsford say anything further about putting whiskey on Lunsford's place. The witness told him he had not. Adams then said if Lunsford talked any more about him he was going to kill him, at the same time showing the witness a number of cartridges.

The defendant offered no testimony and the case was submitted without argument. The defendant was held to action of the grand jury without bail.

A number of other parties held as accessories were discharged by request of the prosecuting attorney.

The men has three motions—it revolves on its own axis, it circles around the earth, and along with the earth it revolves around the sun. In addition to which it gets full as a moon every twenty-eight days.—Ex.

NEGRO WOMAN BRUTALLY MURDERED IN WOODS AT LOCKHART

Lockhart, Dec. 31.—The body of a negro woman, Lula Wilson, was found Saturday afternoon in the woods about a quarter of a mile west of the negro quarters of Lockhart by Doc Coleman, one of the timekeepers for Jackson Lumber Company, who had started in to the woods on a hunting trip. Mr. Coleman, without stopping to examine the body, immediately returned to Lockhart and reported the matter to the authorities and an investigation was immediately commenced under the supervision of Judge Matthews of Florala.

An examination of the body by Dr. J. F. Holley disclosed that the woman had been beaten to death, evidently by some blunt instrument of cylindrical shape, the body being a mass of bruises from the knees to the shoulders, and presented a most brutal and revolting sight. Apparently no struggle had taken place at the spot where the body lay and it would seem that the beating had been administered elsewhere and the woman either carried to the spot where she lay, or consciously or unconsciously of her own volition, to her home and expired on the way.

It was developed that the woman was last seen alive about two o'clock Christmas afternoon by a little negro girl, Emma Huff, and was at that time going toward the woods with her husband, Olive Wilson, a few steps in the rear. Lula stopped to speak to the little girl as she passed and the child remonstrated with her husband, telling her to "get on ahead." At which the murdered woman said "What are you up to?"

A search of the room occupied by the unfortunate woman and her husband revealed an iron bar about two and a half feet long, about five eighths of an inch in diameter with one end curved and pointed for a handle. This bar or long bolt had some sort of fibrous adhering to it in places, very similar to the substance of the dead woman's hair and skin, slight appearances of stains. It will be submitted to competent authorities for analysis to determine whether the stains are human blood.

PIKE NEGRO KILLS WIFE

Two, Ala., Jan. 1.—Charles Huffman, a Colton negro, cut his wife so severely Sunday that she died soon afterwards. His wife had been on a visit to Ramer and Huffman went to Ramer Sunday. He became angered at her and seizing a knife almost severed her head from her body.

The officers of Pike county have notified the Montgomery sheriff and he is now searching for Huffman.

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KILLS WIFE AND SELF

Humboldt, Tenn., Dec. 31.—Brooding over his estrangement from his wife, who left him three days ago, James Torrens, a tenant farmer, last night shot and killed Mrs. Torrens, and took his own life, after failing in an attempt to kill his father-in-law, R. A. McCollum.

NOTICE ABOUT FEDERAL LAND BANK

There has been a misunderstanding about the deposit for to be sent in with applications to the Land Bank for loans. As local Secy-Treas. I take this means of saying that the amount required to be sent in with each application is \$100.00, as required by the Land Bank on October 1st, 1923, and that is the cause of the difference.

W. M. Brunson.

Write notes in 10 cash books at Clipper office.

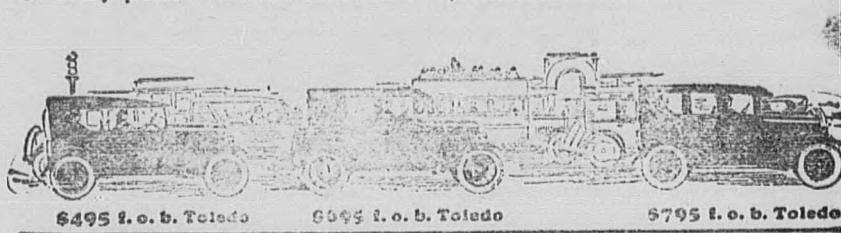
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REGISTER'S SALE.

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STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS

vs

A. W. GRIFFIN

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NW 1/4 of NE 1/4, less two acres in NW corner, less 9 1/2 acres in SW corner, Section 12, Township 3, Range 22, Coffee County, Alabama.

Said lands will be sold to pay costs in Equity Court.

This, the 31st day of December, 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court In Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS

vs

J. H. THOMAS

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N 1/2 of SE 1/4, less 1/2 acre NW corner, Section 11, Township 3, Range 22, containing 79 1/2 acres more or less, Coffee County, Alabama.

Said land will be sold for 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court In Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS

vs

T. D. L. EDWARDS

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One 6 room house and lot, more or less, situated on the corner of Main and 1st streets, Elba, Alabama.

This, the 31st day of December 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court In Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS

vs

N. C. BYRD

By virtue of a decree rendered at the August Term, 1923, of the Circuit Court in Equity at Elba, Alabama, Coffee County, in said cause, I shall proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Court House door in Coffee County in the town of Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on MONDAY the 21st day of JANUARY, 1924, the following described property, to-wit:

15 acres more or less where the mill now stands; Grist mill and saw mill.

Said sale will be made to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

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STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS

vs

J. C. MADDOX

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10 head hogs; 10 head cattle; two mules; Saw Mill and Equipment, and the NW 1/4 Section 22, Township 6, Range 21, in Coffee County, Alabama, and containing 160 acres more or less.

Said property will be sold to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

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The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court In Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS

vs

JOHN FLEMING

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This, the 31st day of December 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

Coffee County in the town of Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on MONDAY the 21st day of JANUARY, 1924, the following described property, to-wit:

NW 1/4, N 1/2 of SW 1/4, SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 19, Township 3, Range 19, and containing 280 acres more or less, and situated in Coffee County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court In Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS

vs

MRS. TRUDIE BAILEY

By virtue of a decree rendered at the August Term, 1923, of the Circuit Court in Equity at Elba, Alabama, Coffee County, in said cause, I shall proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Court House door in Coffee County in the town of Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on MONDAY the 21st day of JANUARY, 1924, the following described property, to-wit:

SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 18, Township 6, Range 20, and containing 40 acres more or less, and situated in Coffee County, Alabama.

Said lands will be sold to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

REGISTER'S SALE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court In Equity, at Elba, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, ET ALS

vs

MRS. S. A. RUDD

By virtue of a decree rendered at the June Term, 1923, of the Circuit Court in Equity at Elba, Alabama, Coffee County, in said cause, I shall proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Court House door in Coffee County in the town of Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on MONDAY the 21st day of JANUARY, 1924, the following described property, to-wit:

20 acres in the NW corner of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, 23 1/2 acres on N. S. of S 1/2 of NW 1/4, lying E. of Enterprise and Geneva Road; 4 acres SW Corner of NW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 7, Township 3, Range 22 in Coffee County, Alabama.

Said land will be sold to pay 1920 taxes and costs.

This, the 31st day of December 1923.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

At the Apple Show in Grand Central Palace, New York, four women of the stage and screen won honors in the pie-baking contest.

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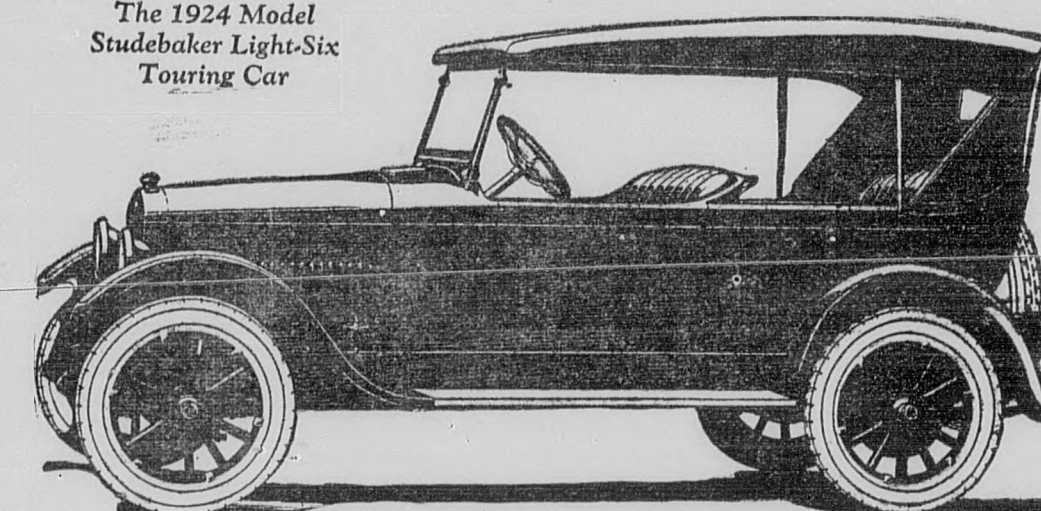
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For the first period of the campaign up to and including Saturday, January 26th, not only the above schedule will be in effect but an additional bonus of 60,000 extra votes will be allowed on each and every club of \$10.00 in subscriptions turned in. The following ten days the votes will be considerably less and during the closing days of the campaign no extra votes at all will be allowed.

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